pal Electric Plant

Awarded.

Lights in Annexed

Territory.

Embroidery Flouncings

This will be the greatest season for Embroideries for years. Flouncings wil be used a great deal in connection with galloons or insertions for the lower part of the Princess dress or for the double or Spanish skirt. To-day we are offering two special values in Flouncings which are in popular demand at present.

Swiss Flouncings, 27 inches wide, 36 different patterns, well worked on eyelet designs on f ne Swiss, large repeat scallops, 89c to \$1.25 value, 69c

40 pieces of Fine Swiss Floundings, sent from Switzerland as samples for large New York importer. These are the best ever shown, newest designs, well worked, large scroll patterns, English eyelet, baby

Willer & Rhoads

JUDGE CHRISTIAN WILL BE HERE FRIDAY

BROAD STREET DRY

GOODS FIRM FAILS

Voluntarily Names Trustee.

Assets Not Known.

Corporation Court Petitioned to Name April 4 as Election Day.

JUST 24 HOURS' MARGIN

Union of Cities May Be Effective Faulkner & Warriner Company One Day Before

Judge Frank G. Christian, of the Corporation Court of Lynchburg, was yesterday designated by Governor Mann to hear the petition of the citizens of Manchester for submitting the question of the consolidation of the two Councils will at once be placed in the two Councils will at once be placed in the two changes of unarrive here in time to designate the date of the election on Friday.

City Attorney H. R. Pellard, according to the case in vacation. He is expected in gover all collections. After the charges of making the assignment and other costs in the case in vacation. He is expected in gover all collections. After the charge of the law, yesterday filed in the Corporation Court of Manchester, and other costs in the case are paid, the charges of making the assignment and other costs in the case are paid, the charges of making the assignment and other costs in the case are paid, the charges of making the assignment is to be divided pro-rata among the could do to keep the man off, even after she had threatened to arrival of this city against the city of Manchester, asking the judge to order an election on Monday, April 4—fifteen days after next Saturday, which is the earliest possible date that it can be held—for the ratification for rejection of the ordinance by the votation of the ordinance by the vo

"hursday night in the blasonic lempic of to-morrow night in the same place, of as not to conflict with the meeting if the First Ward delegation, which fill be held in the hall at Sixth and Itali Streets Thursday night. At first

Inspect Street Paving.
According to a resolution recently adopted a subcommittee from the Council Committee on Streets will leave Thursday afternoon for the purpose of inspecting the bitulithic pavement now being laid in the city of Norfolk. The Mayor has been invited to accompany the party.

Mr. O'Neil Visiting Here.

Hon. J. Z. O'Neil, chairman of the ways and means committee of the Charleston City Council, spent yesterday in Richanond. Mr. O'Neil is one of the most prominent men in the metropolitan city of South Carolina.

Acquited on Appeal.

Thomas Parker, colored, who appealed rom the Police Court, where he was concleted, was acquitted in the flustings Court esterday of the charge of stealing \$2 worth of vegotables from Julian Flournoy, a Police Court he was sentenced to four nonths in jail.

To Fill Vacancy.

The Board of Pollee Commissioners will meet at 5 o'clock this evening to elect a man to the position made vacant on the force by the death of W. P. Gorman.

On March 50 the board will meet in the Council chamber to examine applicants for positions on the force.

If coffee tampers with your heart or nerves, suppose you break away for 10 days and see how much better you feel. You can make the job easy and

pleasant if you take on Postum in place of coffee. Be sure to have it well boiled, according to direc-

tions on package, to bring out the rich flavour and full food value.

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

There's a Reason'

KEPT MAN AT BAY FOUR-YEAR-OLDBOY DUCTS AND CABLE WITH HATCHET COMES HEREALONE CONTRACTED FO

Thirteen-Year-Old Girl Fights William Lamb, of South Boston, Distributing System of Munici-Store.

Henrico County

Authorities.

On the charge of attacking Gertrude

the proceeds of the shop for a liveli-

Happened in December.

Some time in Docember—neither Mrs. Christopher nor her daughter can remember the exact date—the mother says that she had to be away on business, and left the store in charge of the girl who deliv assisted her. In her

girl, who daily assisted her. In her absence, according to the story told by

Starts Early on His Travels.

SERIOUS CHARGES MADE GUEST OF KINDLY OFFICER MAY WIRE PUBLIC HALLS Leroy Bovee Refused Bail by Policemen of First District Make George Rogers Wants to Hasten

> Youngster Comfortable Until Parents Arrive.

Destined, evidently, to be one of the world's famous travelers, William Lamb, four years and three months intures for the City Hail, the three old, of South Boston, alrived in Rien-

daughter of Mrs. L. T. Christopher, of daughter of Mrs. L. T. Christopher, of 1328 North Thirtieth Street, Levy Bove, a white man, about fifty years of sge, was arrested by Policeman D. L. Temple, of Henrico county, yesterday afternoon on the street of the county jail, pending a trial before Magistrate T. J. Puryear, which will be herd Thursday of Fritagy morning. Application for hall was made yesterday afternoon before Commissioner Thomas W. Gardner, but in consideration of the serious charge he refused to take any action until evidence was heard. Bove will be ropresented by Attorney Julien Gunn will prosecute.

Mrs. Christopher, who is a widow and has no relatives in this section of the serious as mall store at stop 21½ on the Seven Pines can line. Each day she and her little daughter go there from their residence in the city early in the morning, resturning after the day's work is done. They are poor and are dependent on the proceeds of the shop for a livelihood.

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misde Way With Pie.

As soon as Billy arrived and was met by Sergeant Zimmer, the officer took him to a diarry lunch and treated him to a quantity of pic. The little fellow helped himself liberally, and then said that he would like some more. The sergeant fed him until he was full,

"Come with me," said Sergeant Zimmer, and, with all the trust in the world, the visitor placed his hand in that of the big officer an, went with him to the Priot Police Station. There he was introduced to all the other officers, and said that he was glad to meet them.

But along toward the shank of the day, little Billy began to grow hungry again, and visions of his once happy home foated before his weary eyes, it thought of his waiting mother and of his waiting cot, of his little supper, and his nightly prayers, and a little tear drop voiled down his cheeks.

"Are you hungry?" asked one of the officers, and the boy nodded his head, officers, and the boy nodded his head.

nim. He ate it with relish, and then curled himself up in a chair, and was soon sound asleep. They moved him into the captain's office, and there he siept until the arrival of his father shortly before 11 o'clock.

Of Well Known Family.

Little William Lamb is the grandson of the late Colonel William Lamb, of Norfolk, who won renown in the Civil War as the here of Fort Fisher, and upon whom honors crowded in his after

upon whom honors crowded in his after upon whom nonors crowded in his atter years. He was four times Mayor of Norfolk, was German vice-consul and was chairman of the Republican City Committee, Sonie of the old soldier's daring descended to his grandson, for years. He was four times Mayor of Norfolk, was Gorman vice-consul and was chalrman of the Republican City Committee, Socie of the old soldier's daring descended to his grandson, for the little fellow was not one whit afraid when he arrived in Richmond yesterday afternoon. He soon dried his first tears, and lost bimself in dreams.

He was too sleepy to explain how he boarded the train, but said that he rode in one of the passenger coaches, and was not disturbed until he got to a Richmond. It is supposed that he climbed in behind some passenger and went unnoticed until it was too late to send him back or to discover who he was.

Cellected Treasures.

Mr. Lamb traced him from point to point in South Boston, and finally learned that he had boarded the train, Billy had bought a pencil, and from some hardware store had gotten a pocketful of nalls, and from another source a lot of baseball pictures. He was careful to save them all and took them back with him.

DAMAGE SUIT ON TRIAL

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Billy clung close to his father, and seemed to lose his desire to remain in Richmond after seeing his parent's Decree of Lower Court for a peals yesterday denied a motion of the North Carolina Mining Company for the modification of a decree as to costs in the case of G. R. Westfeldt and others, appelless. The appeal was from the united States Circuit Court at Ashaville. The opinion rendered yesterday was written by District Judgs Boyd.

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MIND IS IMPAIRED

Busy as Bees

Getting in our Spring stock of Suits, Overcoats, Fancy Vests, Shirts, Gloves, Neckwear, Hats, etc., for men, and Suits, Reefers and all other necessities for the children. Everything this season will be better

Gans-Rady Company

HOOKER SHARPLY ATTACKS GOODWYN

T. L. Lewis, individually, and as vicepresident of the United Mine Workers Richmond Coal and Coke Company, ap-

Coal and Coke Company was without significance, inasmuch as the case on its merits has not been determined, and is now pending in the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern District of West Virginia. The case came to the Circuit Court of Appeals on an appeal from a denial of a motion to medify an injunction thereafore granted by Judge Dayton. "This motion was filled long after the order granting the injunction, and being denied by the court below, was not appeal able, inasmuch as it was an appeal from an order refusing to modify an injunction, which was made after the thirty days had elapsed in which an appeal is allowable from an order granting or continuing an injunction.

"The Circuit Court of Appeals of the Circuit Court of Appeals on an appeal from an order refusing to modify an injunction, which was made after the first declared that the financial condition of Manchester was bud, and that taxes would become lower. Mr. Reams said he was forced to believe that rental value would increase, that through annexation the city would be materially benefited, and that taxes would become lower. Mr. Reams said he was forced to believe that through annexation the city would be materially benefited, and that taxes would become lower. Mr. Reams said he was forced to believe that through annexation the city would be materially benefited, and that taxes would become lower. Mr. Reams said he was forced to believe that taxes would become lower. Mr. Reams said he was forced to believe that taxes would become lower. Mr. Reams said he was forced to believe that taxes would become lower. Mr. Reams said he was forced to believe that

"The Circuit Court of Appears the not even discuss or consider the merits of the case in the opinion filed. That is a matter which rests solely at the present with the Circuit Court, in which the case is pending."

FARMERS ORGANIZE

Jamestown Commission Meets.
Jamestown Exposition Commission
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exhibit at Jamestown be removed the

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HENRY E. RUEGER

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Great Enthusiasm Shown at Anti-Consolidation Meeting in Manchester. WILL MAKE BITTER CONTEST

Factions Line Up for Test of Strength at

Polls.

Amid storms or applause interspersed with laughter and ridicule for the pro-consolidationists, the first public mass-meeting of the anti-annexationists, under the auspices of the First Ward, was held last night at Sixth and Hull Streets, with a large crowd in attendance. The passions of times, and when some prominent con-

The explanation is made by the judges in view of misleading articles printed all over the country. The court record given in this paper on Saturday morning was correct.

The judges' statement of the effect of the opinion is as follows:

"The action of the Circuit Court of Appeals in dismissing the appeal in the case of Lewis et al. vs. Hitchman Coal and Coke Company was without Mr. Brown less Thursday night when J. D. Heams was the man speaker.
He said he had been first opposed to
the agreement, and expected to vote
against consolidation at the polls. He
sought to refute the statements of
Mr. Brown last Thursday night when

a secreta that the present bonded indebtedness of Richmond had reached
its limit.

Wakefield Defends Manchester.

J. S. Wakefield, a member of the
Annexation Committee, was next heard.

#Its remarks were mainly directed in
answering the questions on a little
card distributed by consolidationists,
headed "23 for Those Who Favor Annexation: We Oppose Annexaton, Why
Do You Favor It?" He said this little
card was used to intimidate the voters.
In replying to one of the questions:
"We don't want better police protection," he said statistics showed that
for its size Manchester's force was as
good as any other city. Amidst
tumultuous applause he replied to, "We
are too green to burn," by saying: "We
may be too green to burn, but we're

not interior to any of the sweining and atthough laboring under physical disa-bility, he excelled in fire, force and pas-sion, and received a tumuit of applause, "The more I think of consolidation, the more I'm afraid," he said, "It is the more I'm afraid." he said. "It is much for a few and a great deal against the majority," he declared. "The people should govern, and not allow a few to think for them." At these words he raised a glass of water to his lips and said: "A toast to you consolidationists." He continued by saying that from the 75 per cent. first granted Manchester under the ordinance, it; was new only 30 per cent. Cles of Manchester under the ordinance, ity was now only 30 per cent. Cries of "Vote it down!" were heard at this point. He said that many that applied could not get in the Richmond schools, and that Manchester's school was ahead of the John Marshall High School.
"No men or set of men can stop the

perction of the ordinance by the votis of Manchester. It was stated last night that the istockholders of the company, before the clapse for possible contests, makings, the union therefore effective at oon on April 14, just twenty-four ours before the official government ate, April 15. Arrangements are being perfected if the mass meeting of the amnexation cond and Third Wards, in the courtcond and Third Wards, in the courtcours before the official government ate, April 15. Arrangements are being perfected if the mass meeting of the amnexation country before the official government ate, April 16. Arrangements are being perfected if the mass meeting of the amnexation country before the official government ate, April 16. Arrangements are being perfected if the mess meeting of the amnexation country before the formal that the condition, decided to go out of business. The Faulkner & working the meighborhood she was afraid of Bovee. He had long been a custorier at her store and is said to owe her quite a large sum of money, which she has been condition, decided to go out of business. The Faulkner & working the formal than condition, decided to go out of business. The Faulkner & working the formal than condition, decided to go out of business. The Faulkner & working the formal than condition, decided to go out of business. The Faulkner & working the formal than the courtgo out of business. The Faulkner & working the formal than the courtgo out of business. The Faulkner & working the formal than the courtgo out of business. The Faulkner & working the formal than the courtgo out of business. The Faulkner & working the formal than the courtgo out of business, and rathe than condition, decided to go out of business, and has been considered to meet its store and is said to owe her quite a large sum of money, which she has been a custorier at her store and is said to owe her quite saked him for and he has refused to business are being sake to meet its some of money which she has been a custorier at he

prise to many business people. No statement of the assets and liabilities has been made by Trustee Cheatwood COLONY AT ROXBURY

ENTERS REGULAR ARMY

Benj. Dennis, of Blues, Is Granted Honorable Discharge by Adjutant-General, Private Benjamin Dennis Jr., of Company B, of the Richmond Light infantry Blues' Battalion, has been granted an honorable discharge by Adjutant-General Anderson by reason so this enlistment in the United States Army, Dennis went to Washington the latter part of last week, but was not allowed to enlist on account of his connection with the Diues. He is a son of the Rev. Benjamin Dennis, of Manchester.

Confer Master's Degree. ing for Joppa Lodge.

Dr. James P. Roy III, Dr. James P. Roy, of 8 East wrace Street, is a patient at the Memorial Hospital, He is not seriously III.

DAILY BIBLE CLASS

combine to make her a techer of un-usual ability.

These meetings will be continued